

## **SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board  
895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101  
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

Or

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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**Project Applicant:** City of Goleta – Charlie Ebeling

**Applicant's Agent:** Cardno – Rosemary Thompson

**Project Name:** San Jose Creek Permanent Repair Project

**Receiving Water:** San Jose Creek

**City/County:** Goleta / Santa Barbara

**Public Notice:** August 14, 2019 – September 4, 2019

### **Project Description:**

The purpose of the proposed project is to replace the temporary creek channel repair installed after damage from a 2017 storm with a permanent rock slope protection to prevent flooding and property damage in Goleta.

The proposed project activities include:

- Removing 112-foot-long by 50-foot-wide by 2-foot-deep temporary rock slope protection;
- Removing temporary steel sheets under the temporary rock slope protection;
- Constructing channel subgrade improvements such as crushed rock and engineering fabrics to improve the soft channel subgrade;
- Installing 14, 8-foot-wide ASR mats by using a crane to place them in the channel;
- Installing soft anchors through the new ASR mats;
- Installing a stream by-pass to allow for water to move around the work area in case of emergency water flow; and
- Replacing the concrete fish weir.

No proposed mitigation.

City of Goleta filed a Categorical Exemption on August 7, 2019.